

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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County Counsel
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At its meeting held November 30, 2004, the Board took the following action:

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Supervisor Antonovich made the following statement:

"On November 12, 2004, the Board of Supervisors was notified of the death of a five-year-old girl who had been raped and beaten by her mother's boyfriend. The boyfriend and the mother are currently in jail facing multiple child abuse charges. There was no open case on the family but the Department of Children and Family Services had received 3 prior referrals alleging the five-year-old girl was a victim of child abuse."

Therefore, on motion of Supervisor Antonovich and by common consent, there be no objection, the Board directed the County Counsel and the Director of Children and Family Services to report back in Closed Session on December 7, 2004, the circumstances surrounding the abuse and death of a five-year-old girl, including policy violations by the social workers, disciplinary action taken and the results of the audit of all cases handled by the offending social workers.

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